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By Facsimile

Hon. Robert P. Patterson
United States District Judge
United States District Court
for the Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007

MEMO ENDORSED

Re: *Clyde Williams v. NYC Department of Corrections, et al.*, 07 Civ 5542
(RPP)
William Dordan v. NYC Department of Corrections, et al., 07 Civ 6644
(RPP)

Dear Judge Patterson:

I am the Assistant Corporation Counsel assigned to represent the defendants in the above-referenced cases. I write on behalf of the defendants in these matters to respectfully request, for the reasons stated below, that the Court dismiss these two cases without prejudice for failure to prosecute.

On December 6, 2007, this Court issued Orders to the *pro se* plaintiffs in the above-named matters to advise the Court no later than December 17, 2007, whether they would proceeding with their cases or their cases would be dismissed without prejudice. As of this date, it appears from the ECF Docket Report in both of these cases that neither of the plaintiffs have responded to the Court's Orders. Further defendants have not received any written or oral communication from either of the plaintiffs in these cases indicating that they wish to proceed with their cases or otherwise. Therefore, defendants respectfully request that the Court dismiss these cases without prejudice for failure to prosecute.

SEE TYPEWRITTEN MEMO
ENDORSEMENT ATTACHED

Application granted
Clyde Williams v NYC Department of Corrections et al
and
William Dordan v NYC Department of Corrections et al
are hereby dismissed without prejudice,
Respectfully,
Robert P. Patterson
1/3/08

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Thank you for your consideration of these requests.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Dorfman", written over a circular stamp.

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cc: William Dordan, Plaintiff *pro se* (via First Class Mail)
Clyde Williams, Plaintiff *pro se* (via First Class Mail)
Michelle Schott, Esq.; Stroock, Stroock, & Lavan, LLP

Case: Clyde Williams v. NYC Dep't of Corrections, et al.
Index No.: 07 Civ. 5542
Case: William Dordan v. NYC Dep't of Corrections, et al.
Index No. 07 Civ. 6644 (RPP)

MEMO ENDORSEMENT READS:

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are hereby dismissed without prejudice.

So ordered.

Robert P. Patterson, Jr., U.S.D.J., 1/4/08